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"Merx" Import-und Export Gesellschaft m.b.H., is negotiating with
Eastern German authorities in Berlin for the barter of 15,000 tons
of iron to be delivered by VUEST, Linz, against toys, typewriters,
and second-hand textile machines from the Chemnitz area.

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